

GRANT RECIPIENT
CITY OF HOBART

YEAR 2004

COUNTY LAKE

CATEGORY
LOW COST CONSTRUCTION

GRANT AWARD \$35,000

Local Share \$35,000



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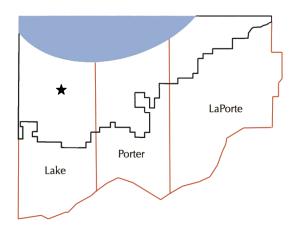
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Jerry Pavese Park Shoreline Stabilization Project

The shoreline along Lake George in Hobart has become a significant source of sedimentation to the lake and Deep River. This problem was identified through the completion of the Deep River/Turkey Creek Watershed Management Plan. Jerry Pavese Park, a popular lakeside park along Lake George, contributed 320 tons of sediment per year into the lake and Deep River.

Realizing the need to prevent such erosion, the City of Hobart stabilized 550 ft of eroded shoreline at Jerry Pavese Park. The restoration utilized a variety of bioengineering methods approved by the Department of Natural Resources. Additionally, an engineering feasibility and design study was completed to ensure that the erosion problem would be properly mitigated while also enhancing the ecological integrity of the park.



RESULT: Stabilized 550ft of shoreline along Lake George and prevented 320 tons of sedimentation annually.